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PATENT
(After Final)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Franzen et al.

Group Art Unit: 1634

Serial No.: 10/759,496

Examiner: Sisson, Bradley L.

Filed: January 16, 2004

Docket No.: 297/178/2

Confirmation No.: 7690

For: PHOTOTHERMAL DETECTION OF NUCLEIC ACID HYBRIDIZATION

AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Official Action dated March 12, 2007. A Petition for a 3-month Extension of Time is hereby requested extending the time for response up to and including September 12, 2007. A Notice of Appeal and a check in the amount of \$1,620.00 are enclosed herewith. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

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AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows:

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02 FC:1202

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